User Analysis Computing at CDF

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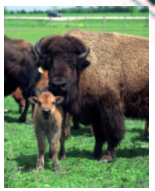
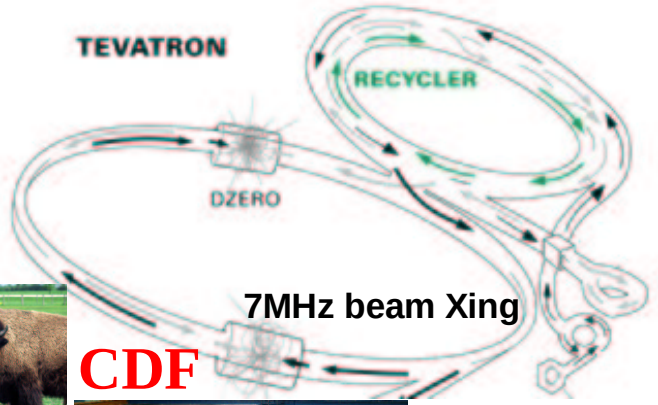
CDF DAQ/Analysis Flow





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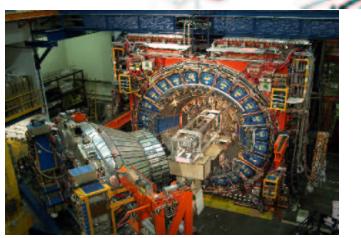


0.75 Million channels

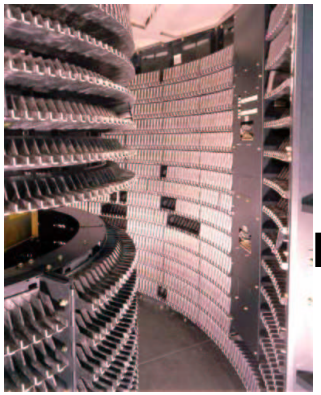
L1
↓
L2
↓
300 Hz

Level 3 Trigger
(~250 duals)

20 MB/s

75 Hz

Robotic
Tape Storage



MC Recon

Production Farm
(~150 duals)

Read/write
Data

User
Desktops

Data Analysis

Central Analysis Farm
(CAF)
(~300 duals)

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Data/Software Characteristics

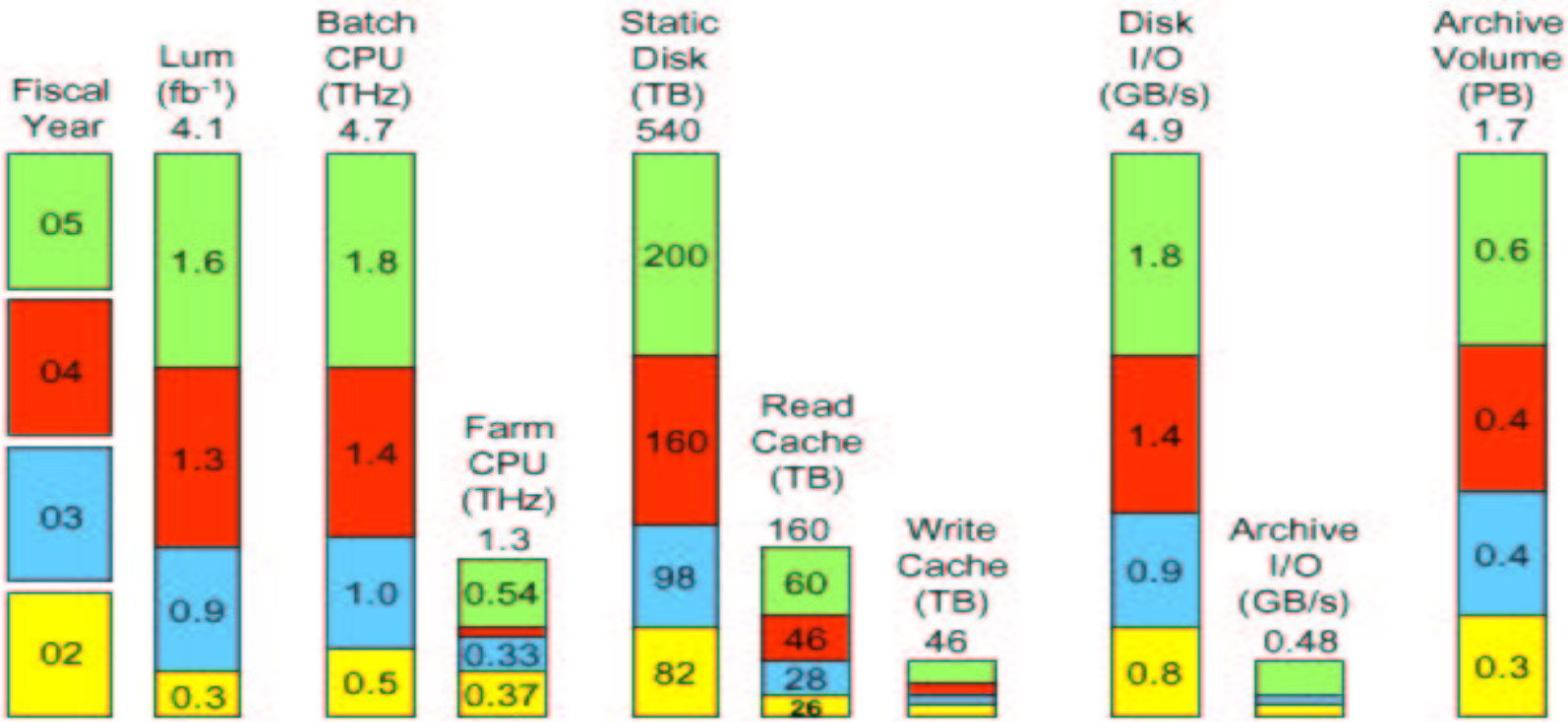
Data Characteristics:

- **Root I/O: ~80-400 kB/event (configurable content)**
- **'Standard' ntuple: 5-10 kB/event**
- **Typical RunIIa secondary dataset size: 10^7 events**
- **Winter03 physics: ~100 datasets adding up to ~50TB**
- **Largest dataset for Winter03 physics: 3.5e7 evts**

Analysis Software:

- **Typical analysis jobs run @ 5 Hz on 1 GHz P3**
  $\rightarrow$ few MB/sec
- **CPU rather than I/O bound (FastEthernet)**

Computing Requirements



Requirements set by goal:

200 simultaneous users to analyze secondary data set (10^7 evts) in a day

Need ~700 TB of disk and ~5 THz of CPU by end of FY'05:

→ need lots of disk→ need cheap disk → IDE Raid

→ need lots of CPU→ commodity CPU → dual Intel/AMD

Computing Model

Interactive Computing on desktop:

- Complete access to all data from desktop via dCache & rootd

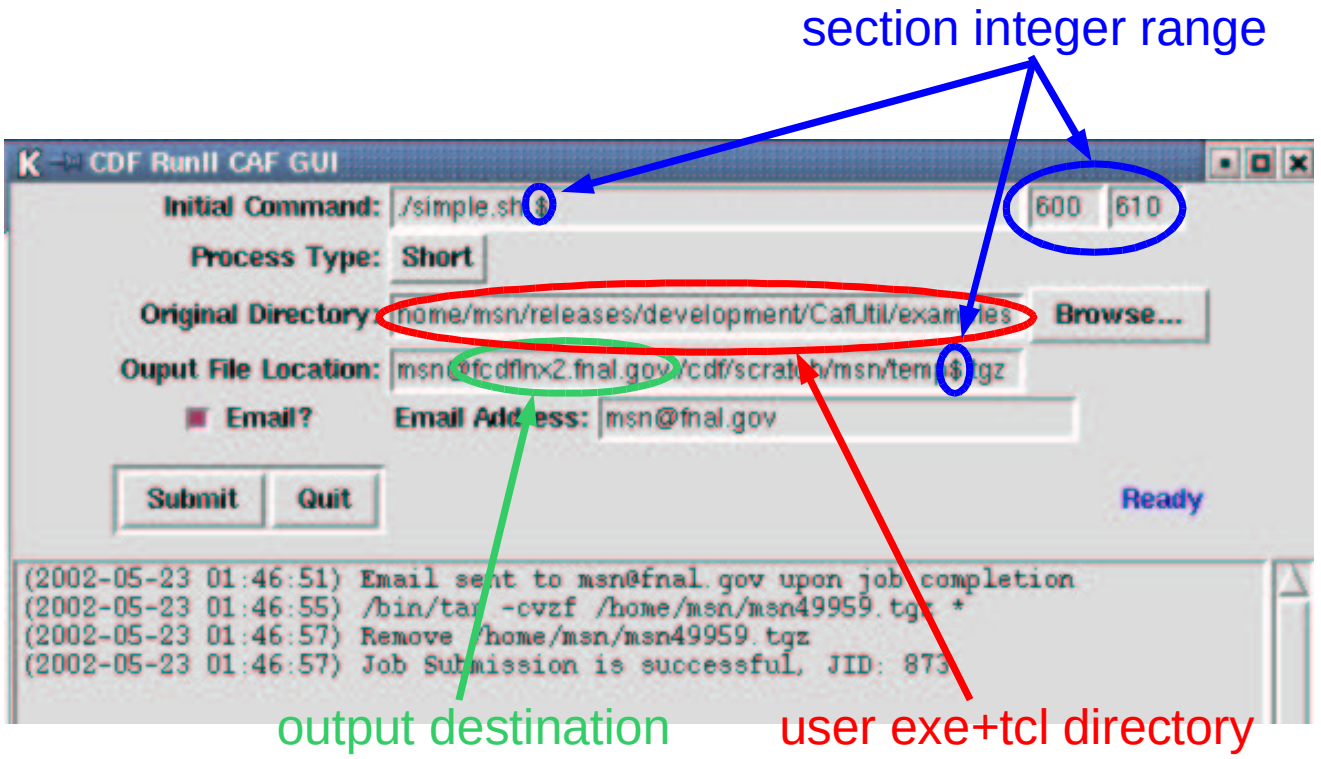
Batch Computing on "remote" cluster(s):

- Binary compatible with desktop
- qsub, qstat, kill, ls, tail, top via command line/web
- Large scale parallelisation with single submission
  - → Single summary email upon completion
- User scratch space inside cluster
  - → Krb5 ticket created @ launch time
- Data access Winter03: 90% NFS+rootd, 10% dCache

Example job submission

- Compile, build, debug analysis job on 'desktop'

- Fill in appropriate fields & submit job



- Retrieve output using kerberized FTP tools
  ... or write output directly to 'desktop'!

Web Monitoring of User Queues

Each user a different queue

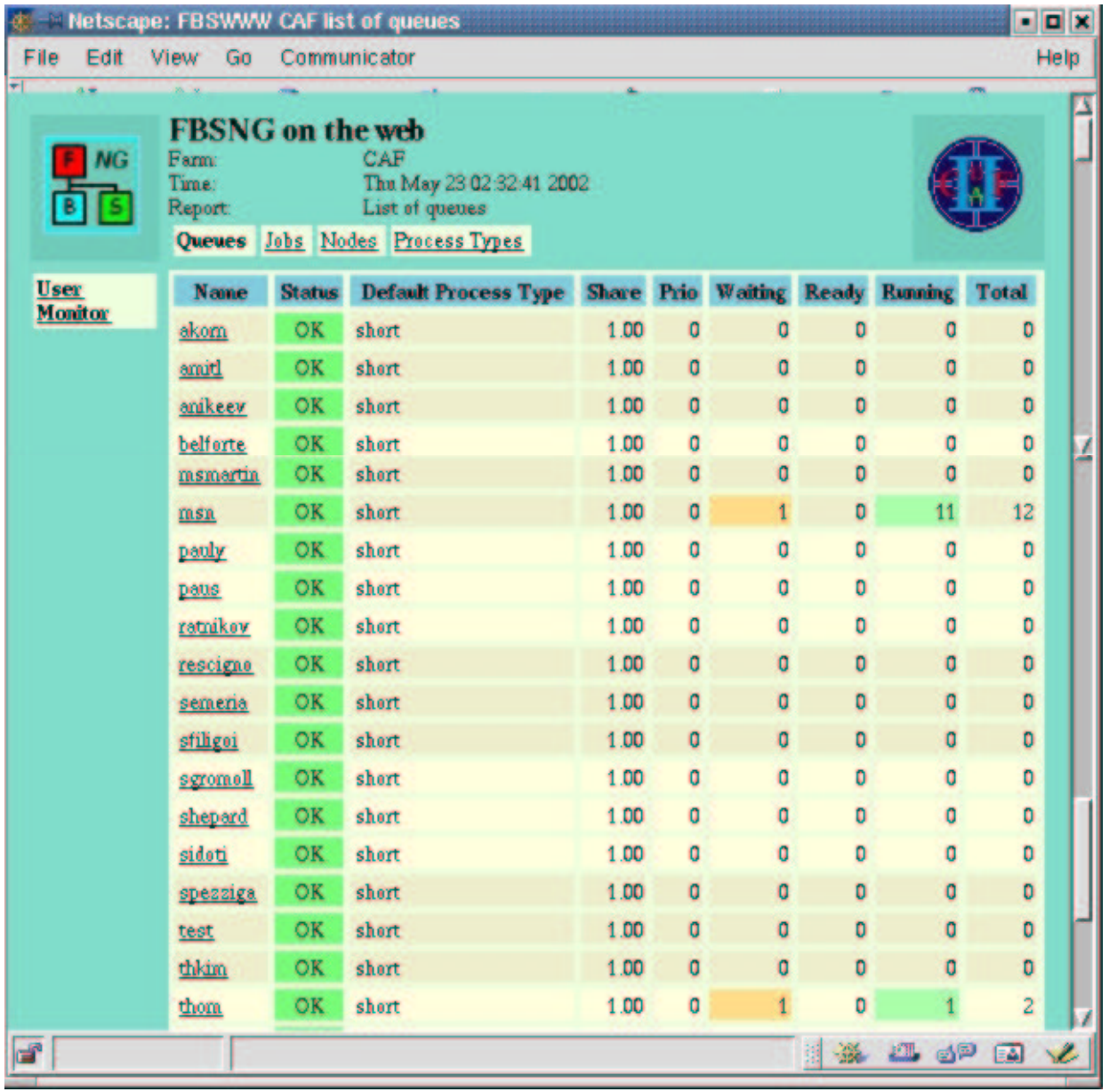
Process type for job length

- **test: 5 mins**
- **short: 2 hrs**
- **medium: 6 hrs**
- **long: 2 days**

This example:

1 job → 11 sections

(+ 1 additional section automatic for job cleanup)



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amitl	OK	short	1.00	0	0	0	0	0
anikeev	OK	short	1.00	0	0	0	0	0
belforte	OK	short	1.00	0	0	0	0	0
msmartin	OK	short	1.00	0	0	0	0	0
msn	OK	short	1.00	0	1	0	11	12
pauly	OK	short	1.00	0	0	0	0	0
paus	OK	short	1.00	0	0	0	0	0
ratnikov	OK	short	1.00	0	0	0	0	0
rescigno	OK	short	1.00	0	0	0	0	0
semeria	OK	short	1.00	0	0	0	0	0
sfiligoi	OK	short	1.00	0	0	0	0	0
sgromoll	OK	short	1.00	0	0	0	0	0
shepard	OK	short	1.00	0	0	0	0	0
sidoti	OK	short	1.00	0	0	0	0	0
spezziga	OK	short	1.00	0	0	0	0	0
test	OK	short	1.00	0	0	0	0	0
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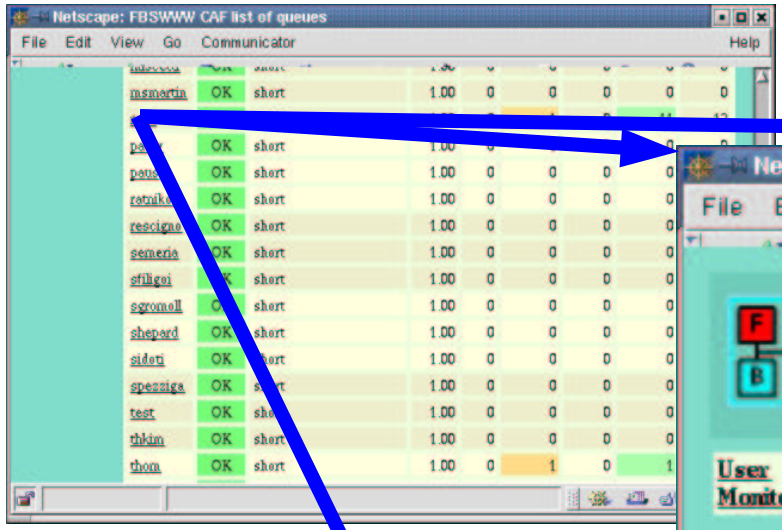
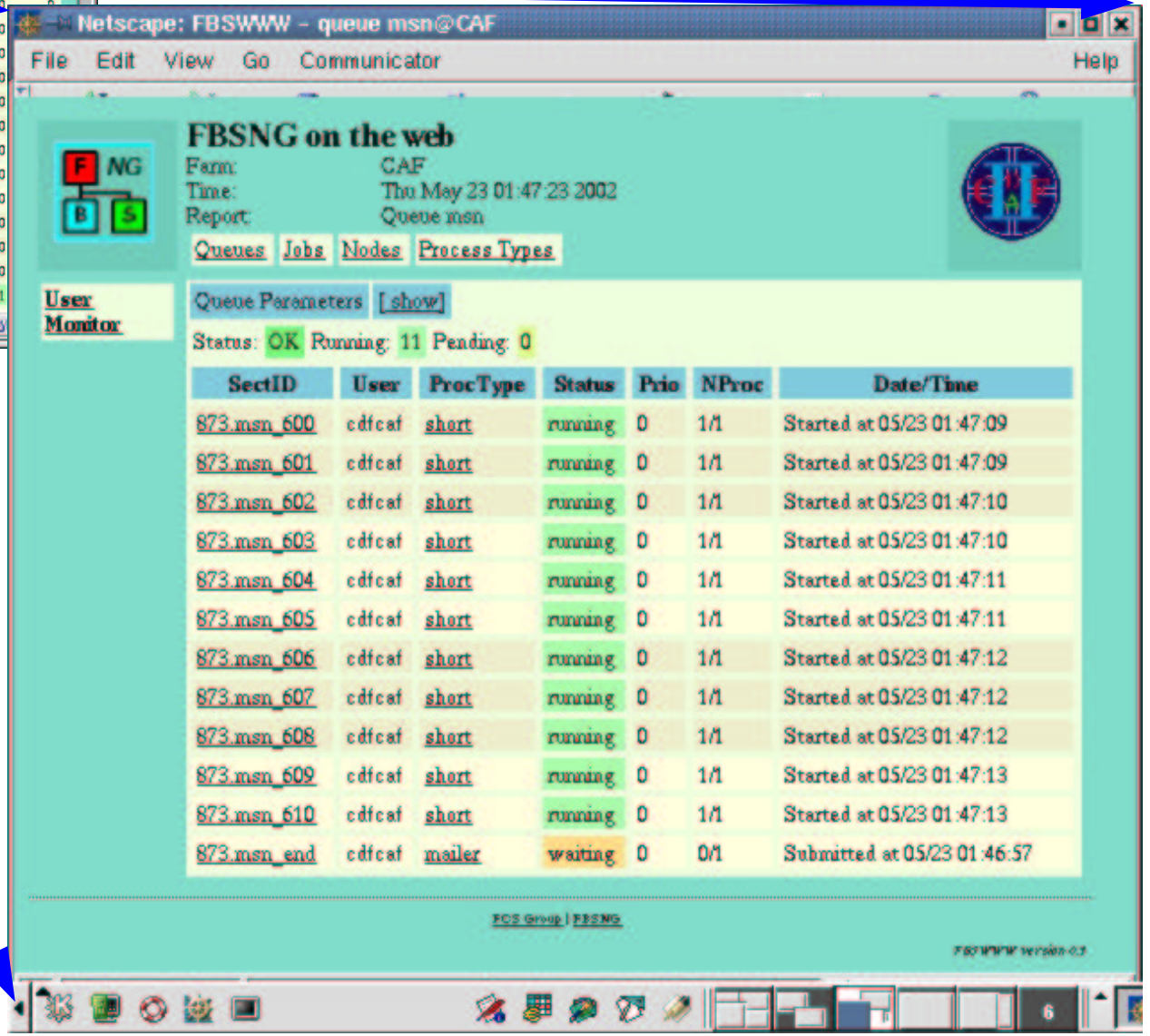
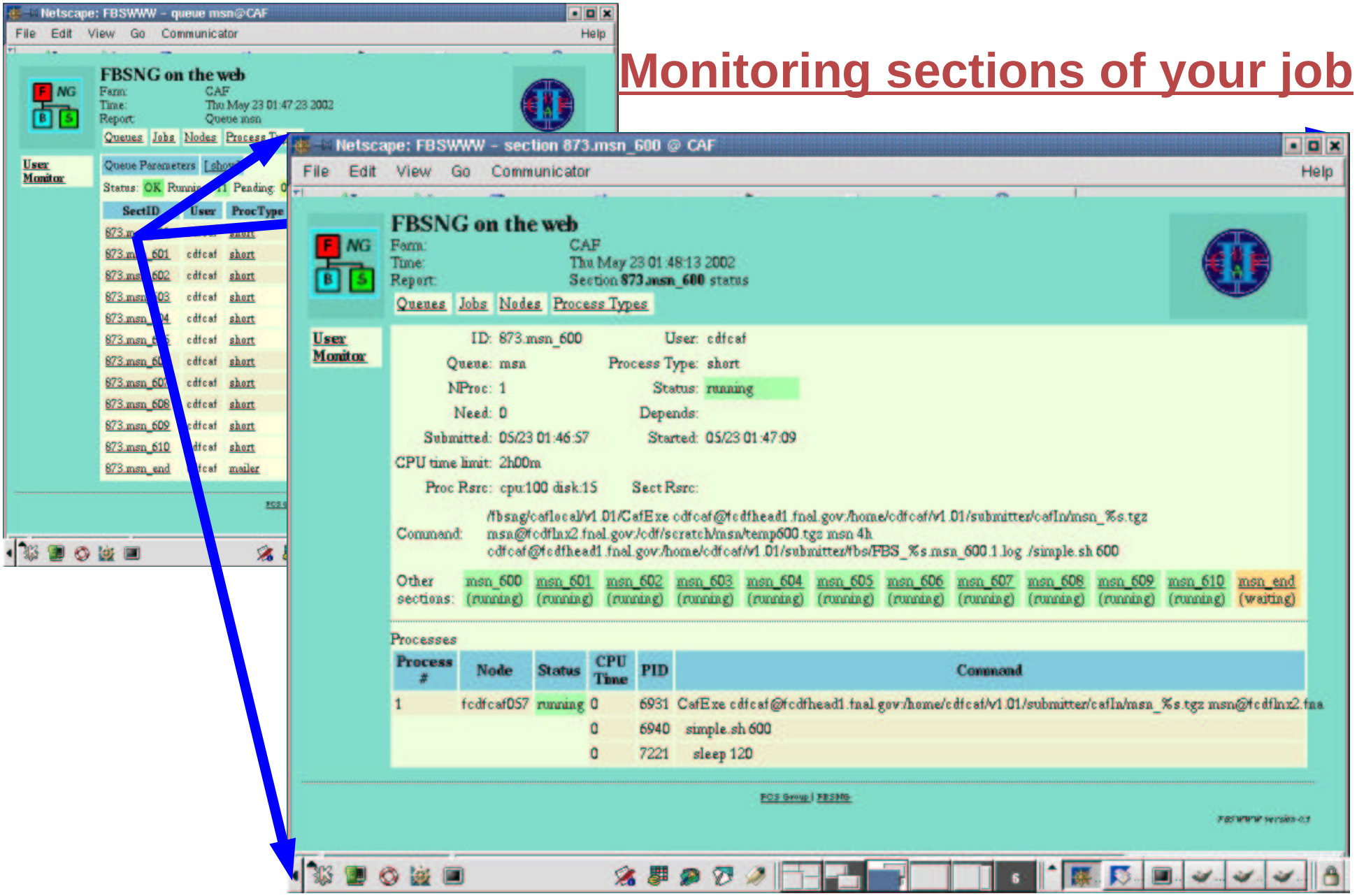
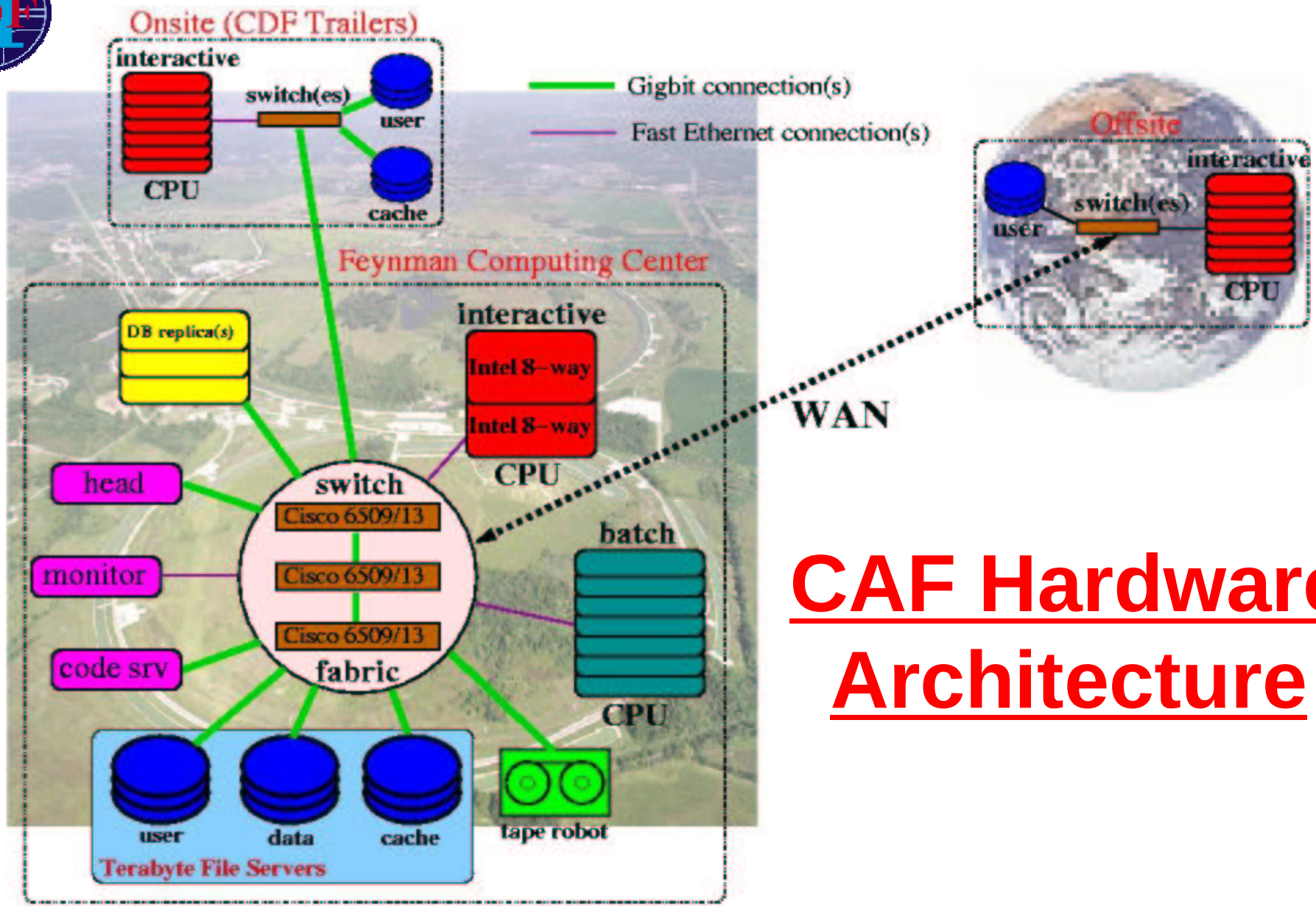
Monitoring jobs in your queue





Monitoring sections of your job





CAF Hardware Architecture

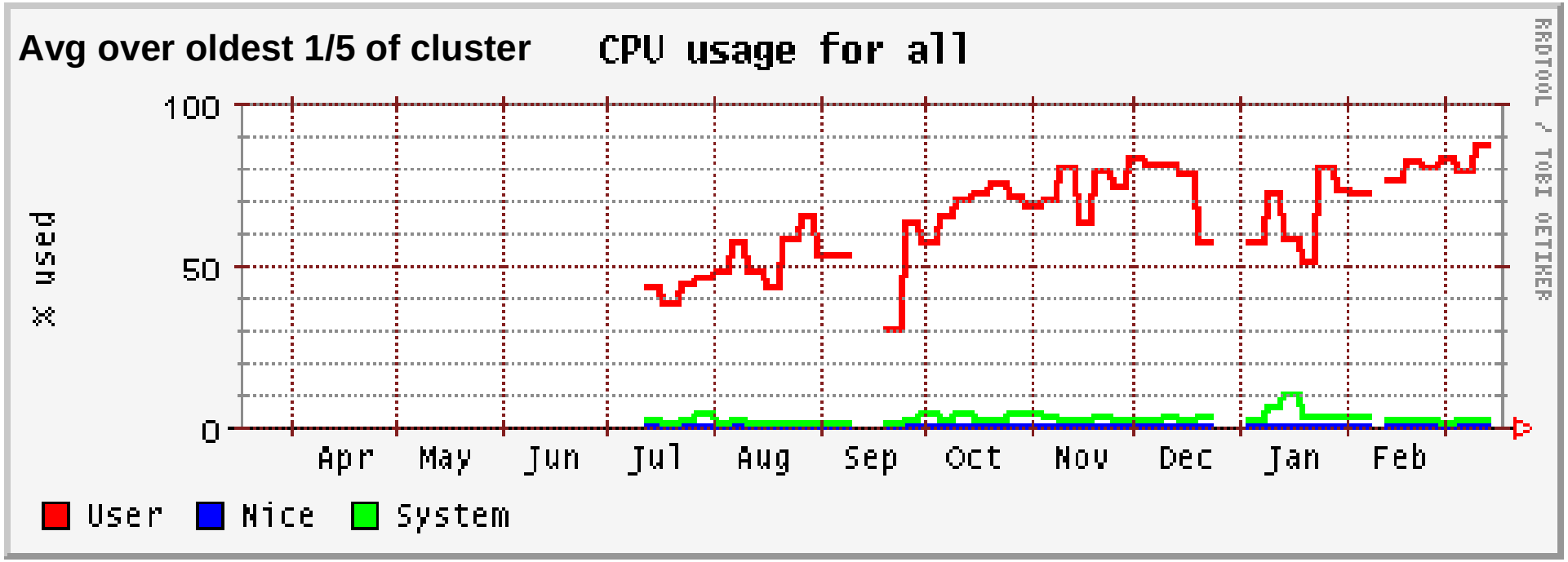
CAF utilization

User perspective:

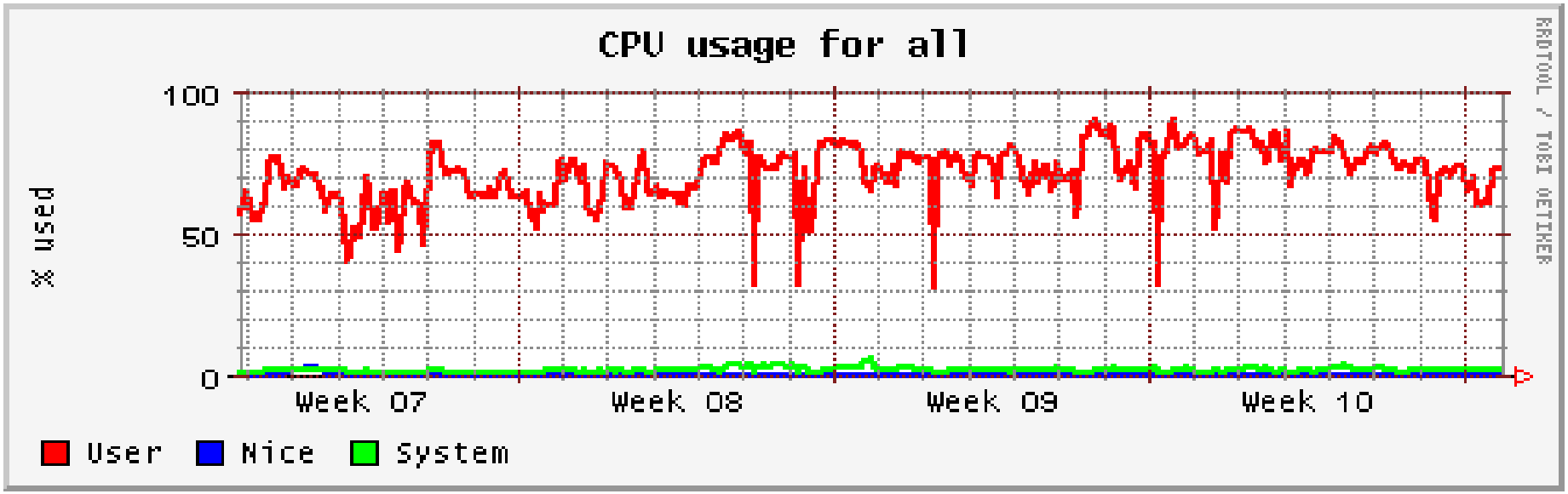
- 10,000 jobs launched/day
- 400 users total
- 100 users per day

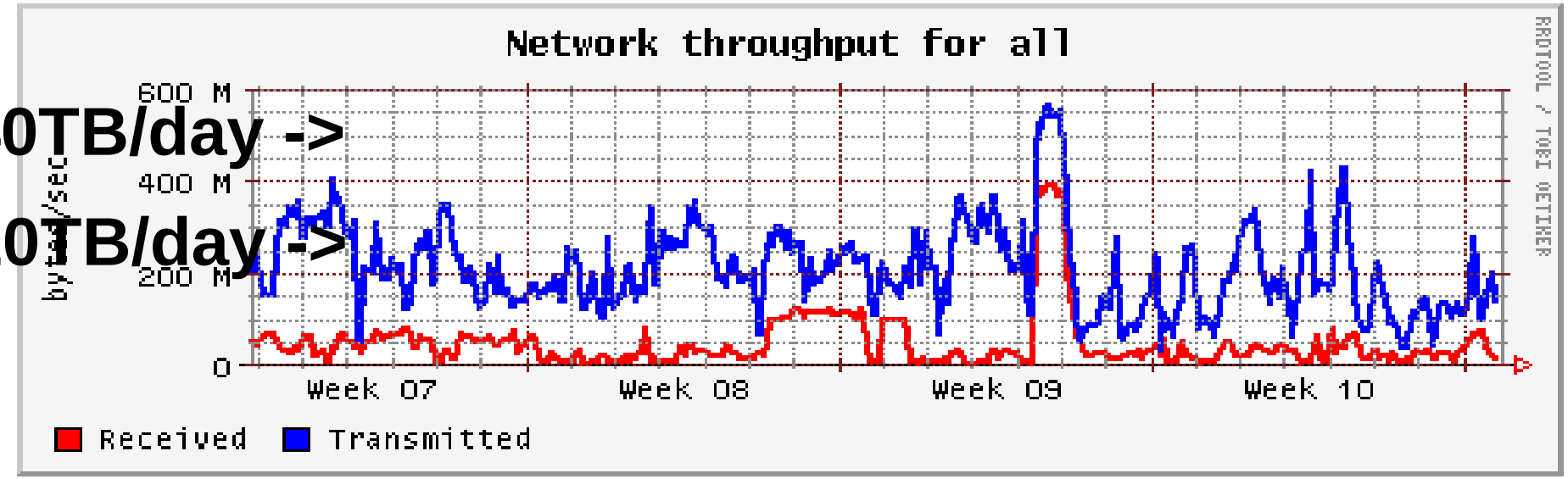
System perspective:

- Up to 90% avg CPU utilization
- 200-600MB/sec I/O
- Failure rate ~1/2000
- Avg uptime of WN = 60days



CAF utilization last month





40TB/day ->

20TB/day ->

Status @ FNAL Today

User analysis computing based on commodity PC's

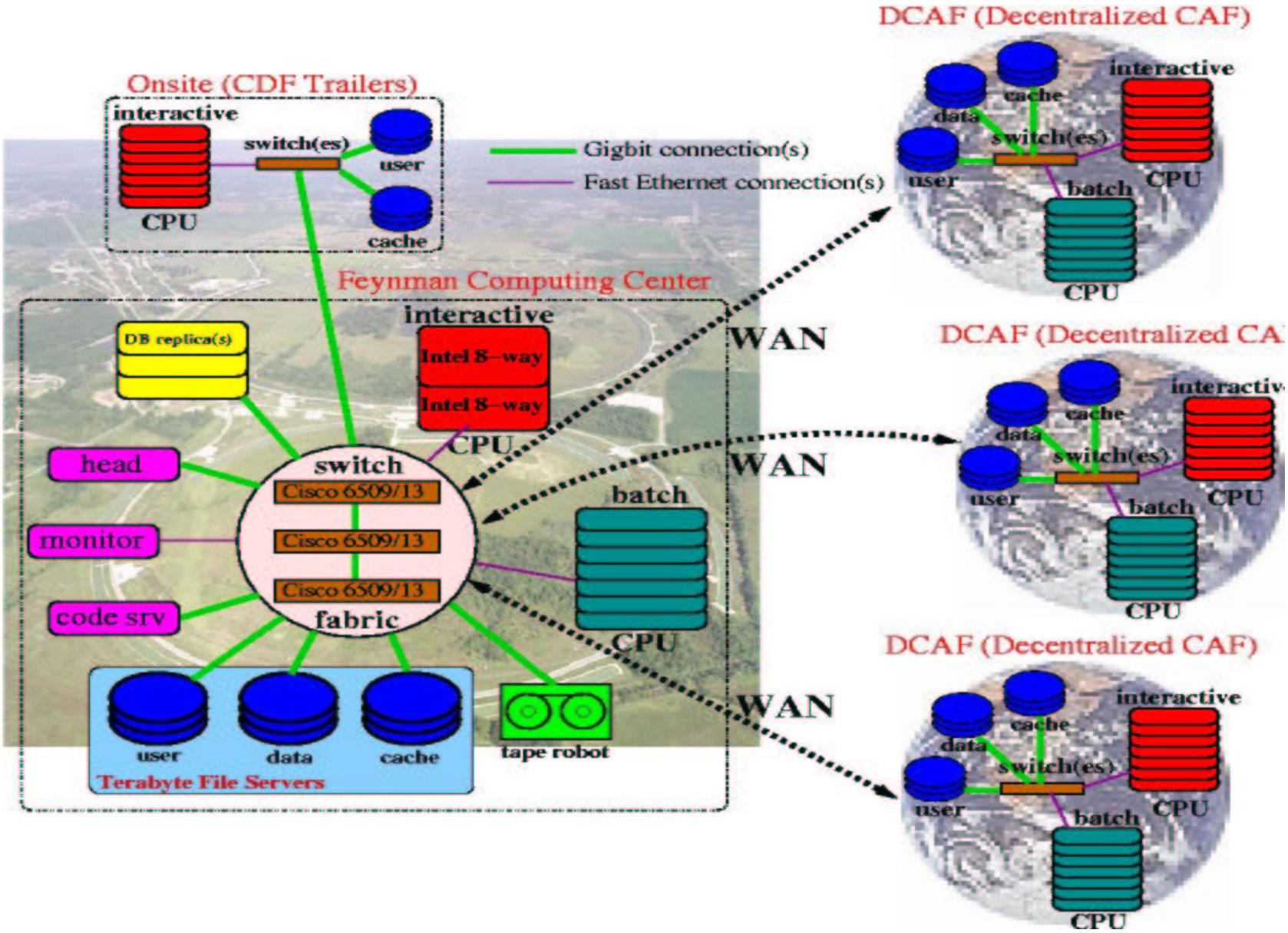
180TB disk space 1THz batch CPU

Focus on building strong infrastructure

up to 600MB/sec I/O 99.95% reliability

that has been deployed as part of CDF grid "proof of principle" for SC2002 demo.

Future Directions



CDF grid = 3 pieces

CAF:

- Local cluster management
- Remote submission
- Fully in production: 99.95% reliability

SAM:

- WAN capable DH system
- Use for remote MC production in summer 03

JIM:

- Grid broker (based on condor,globus,sam)
- Proof of principle fall 02

Summary & Conclusions

CDF's computing model makes offsite computing contributions possible.

Offsite contributions, and accounting thereof is desirable.

The devil is in the detail.